GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Establishment – Forest Department – Sri Allah Baqsh, Forest Range Officer (Retired) – Notional promotion and notional seniority in the category of Forest Range Officer during the panel year 2008-09 – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (FOR.V) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 417

<u>Dated:30-08-2013</u>. Read the following:-

- 1. Govt.Memo.No.5552/For.V/2010-1, dt.2.8.2010.
- 2. Govt.Memo.No.7035/For.V/2010-1, dt.19.10.2010.
- 3. From Prl.CCF, Hyderabad, Lr.Ref.No. 8051/2010-A.1, dt. 24.08.2011 and 31.12.2011.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, permission was accorded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad for placing the case of Sri Allah Baqsh, Forest Range Officer (now retired) before the review Departmental Promotion Committee for its recommendation to consider retrospective promotion in the category of Forest Range Officer during the panel year 2008-09 on par with his junior.

- 2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has informed that the review Departmental Promotion Committee, which convened on 24.08.2010 reviewed the case of Sri Allah Baqsh and recommended his name for retrospective promotion to the category of Forest Range Officer based on 2008-09 panel year. Further, show-cause-notice has been issued to Sri B.Sudhakar, the then Dy.Range Officer, presently working as Forest Range Officer under Rule-24 of A.P.State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996, to consider the case of Sri Allah Baqsh, Forest Range Officer for his retrospective promotion during the panel year 2008-09. He acknowledged the receipt of show-cause-notice and not submitted any objection and hence it is construed that he has no objection for the proposed retrospective promotion to the applicant.
- The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has therefore requested the Government to relax the provisions contained in the General Rule 33(a) of A.P. Subordinate Service Rules, 1996 favour in Sri Allah Baqsh, and fix his seniority in the category of Forest Range Officer retrospectively from 2008-09 panel year, duly placing his name above Sri B.Sudhakar, Forest Range Officer in the said panel and assign him 09.10.2009 AN as the date of his notional promotion to the cadre of Forest Range Officer since Sri B.Sudhakar, Dy.Range Officer, has joined as Forest Range Officer on 09.10.2009 AN on promotion. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has also requested the Government for allowing monetary benefits from the date of joining in the category of FRO by Sri Allah Bagsh as per rules.
- 4. Government after careful consideration hereby order that Sri Allah Baqsh, Forest Range Officer (now retired) be promoted as Forest Range Officer with retrospective effect during the panel year 2008-09 duly fixing his seniority in the category of Forest Range Officer by placing his name above Sri B.Sudhakar in the said panel, under Rule 33(a) of A.P.State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1996. He shall also be assigned notional date of promotion in the category of Forest Range Officer with effect from 09.10.2009, the date on which Sri B.Sudhakar, has joined the post of Forest Range Officer on promotion. He shall be allowed notional fixation

of pay in the category of Forest Range Officer with retrospective effect i.e., from 09.10.2009 in terms of G.O.Ms.No.163, Finance & Planning Department, dt.30.06.1978. He is not entitled to the monetary benefit for the above notional period.

5. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.SAMUEL SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P. Hyderabad. Sf/Sc.

// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER